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For: **METHODS OF USING RANDOMIZED LIBRARIES OF ZINC FINGER PROTEINS FOR THE IDENTIFICATION OF GENE FUNCTION**

- ☒ This application claims priority from each of the following Application Nos./filing dates:
09/456,100, filed December 6, 1999

the disclosure(s) of which is (are) incorporated by reference.

- ☒ Please amend this application by adding the following before the first sentence: "This application is a continuation-in-part of and claims the benefit of U.S. Application No. 09/456,100, filed December 6, 2000, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference."

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